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RAILWAY MEN THREATENING STRIKE

CITY'S ENTRIES CARRY LITERARY EVENTS OF MEET

Ada High Wins Five Firsts
For 25 Points Over
Strong Schools

WETUMKA IS SECOND

Long Program Continues
Contest Until Early
Hours Saturday

Ada high school emerged victorious last night in the ninth annual East Central district interscholastic meet in the literary section by making a total of 25 points, winning five first places, against some of the strongest high schools in the state. This is the first time in years that the local school has made so good a showing. Entries in this section of the meet were more numerous than ever before, and it was late in the night before the finals had been completed.

Wetumka high school came out second, taking two first places and two third places, making a total of 16 points. This school showed up better than last year, with a larger number of entries. Third place went to Davis high school, with a total of 11 points. This was only a small margin above the number of points made by Roff high school, which won fourth with a total of 10 points. Other schools scored as follows: Holdenville 8 points, Pauls Valley 5, Okemah 5, Seminole 3 Tishomingo 3.

Ada high took the loving cup in chorus from Okmuhgee, as this school failed to show up as well as it did last year. The local school also held the orchestra cup and won the first prize ever offered for a band. There were no other entries in the two latter events. Clarence Morrison of Ada took first place in baritone solo, the Ada boys' quartet won first place. An Ada (three part) chorus won first place.

Divide Meet Next Year

Due to the large number of entries it was nearly one o'clock this morning before the literary meet was finished. Prof. E. C. Wilson, who had charge of the meet, stated today that arrangements were being made to hold the events in two or three different places next year in order to complete the work sooner. This plan would call for one division at the high school, another at the college and probably another at one of the churches. Miss Emma Keller had charge of the literary events, and stated that most of yesterday afternoon was spent in preliminaries. She was pleased with the entries in voice, stating that every student did exceptionally well.

The winners in literary events are as follows:
Holdenville, first; Lois Todd, Seminole, second.

Soprano Solo—Wilmah Bondfield, Okemah, first; Faye Livingston, Seminole, second.

Tenor Solo—Walter Eymes, Wetumka first, Arthur Herron, Spaulding, second.

Alto Solo—Velma Gray, Roff, first; Davis High school, second.
Baritone Solo—Clarence Morrison, Ada, first; Bob Mosten, Wetumka, second.

Girls' Quartet—Roff first, Purcell second.
Boys' Quartet—Ada first, Wetumka second.

Girls' Chorus—(two part) Wetumka first, Davis second.
Girls' Chorus (three part) Ada first, Holdenville second.

Boys' Chorus—Pauls Valley first, (only chorus entered).
Mixed Chorus—Davis first; only chorus entered.

Band—Ada high only band entered.
Orchestra—Ada high only orchestra entered.

Medals were to be awarded to winning schools today.

**MICHAEL COLLINS MET
BE ARMED OFFICER TODAY**

(By the Associated Press)

BELFAST, April 22.—Michael Collins, upon his arrival this afternoon at Kilmarnock to deliver an address, was met outside the depot by an Irish republican army officer armed with a revolver, who warned him that he would not be allowed to speak until an incident in Listol, county Kerry, when the officer alleged one of his men had been fired at, had been cleared up.

Total of 110,000,000 pounds of raisins were exported by the United States in 1920.

PORTUGUESE AVIATORS MAKE LONGEST HOP IN FLIGHT ACROSS ATLANTIC OCEAN



Left, Captain Coutinho; right, Captain Saadara Cabral.

The Portuguese aviators, Captains Coutinho and Saadara Cabral, have just completed the longest leg of their flight from Lisbon to Brazil. They have arrived at St. Paul's Rocks after making a 1,000-mile flight from the Cape Verde Islands. This was considered the most dangerous leg of the flight.

LAWYERS OFF TO LOOK INTO BONDS

Pershing Stock to be Probed
By Oklahoma County;
Other Towns Bad

OKLAHOMA CITY, April 22.—An investigation of conditions of Pershing, the Osage county town which has been in the limelight because of its bond issues, on which the interest is in default, is to be made by M. S. Singleton, assistant county attorney of Oklahoma county; J. F. Smith, deputy state examiner, and Ed S. Butterfield, chairman of the county board of commissioners. They plan to leave today for Pershing.

Following the advice of Fred Parkinson, state examiner and inspector, that the county had filed suit for recovery of the \$80,000 invested by Oklahoma county in the Pershing bonds, Butterfield and Singleton will decide on their visit to Pershing whether the county should be a plaintiff in such a procedure.

In the meantime, it has been disclosed that there are other towns which have failed to keep up in payments on bonds voted for public improvements. These according to Parkinson, include Spiro, Le Flore county; Deval, Cotton county; Wynona, Osage county; and Buffalo, Harper county.

Carter county holds \$145,000 worth of improvement bonds on the town of Wynona and J. E. Bristow, county attorney, was expected to arrive here today for a conference with George F. Short, attorney general, in the matter.

It was understood he wanted the attorney general's opinion upon whether the county treasurer, who bought the bonds, could be sued on his bond.

In District Court.

Recent actions filed in the district court are H. E. Randel vs. W. L. McKinley et al. foreclosure of real estate mortgage; Dickerson, Reed, Randerson company vs. W. R. Shuler et al. foreclosure; Mark L. Hill vs. W. A. Barrett et al. foreclosure.

In the county court, following cases were filed yesterday: W. S. Hardin, abandonment; Bud Burns, transporting intoxicating liquor; C. D. Yoakum, possession of liquor.

**RUSSIA WITHDRAWS HER
MEMORANDUM OF FRIDAY**

PARIS, April 22.—Russia has withdrawn the memorandum she submitted yesterday to the allied experts on Russian affairs, says a Havas dispatch from Genoa this evening. Strong objection has been made to the memorandum in allied quarters.

**FIELDS FOR GOVERNOR
ORGANIZATION FORMED**

ARDMORE, April 22.—Announcement was made here today by Guy P. Cobb, prominent republican and chairman of the "Field for Governor" club, of Carter county, stating that a state-wide meeting had been called for May 1 at Oklahoma City at which time efforts would be made to bring John Fields into the race for governor.

According to Cobb, replies to letters sent to republicans in every county in the state, signified a state-wide attendance of the meeting.

Because of higher wages, Japanese working men are building homes out of American lumber instead of matting.

STEWART JUMPS WHILE ON LEAVE

Local Man Is Missing from
Penitentiary, Sheriff
Advised Saturday.

Ed Stewart, under sentence from Pontotoc County for 10 years on a conviction of first degree robbery, escaped from the state penitentiary April 20 while on leave of absence, according to information received this morning by Sheriff Bob Duncan from Warden Fred Switzer of the McAlester institution.

Stewart was granted a leave of absence April 7, to last 60 days. This was revoked on April 13, according to Governor Robertson's statement. When interviewed April 18, the governor said Stewart was either in jail at Oklahoma City or back in the penitentiary.

The governor stated that Stewart's leave of absence was granted at the request of Dr. J. A. Deen of Ada, who assigned sickness in the family as a reason for the request. Later the governor changed his mind and recalled the leave. Stewart was charged jointly with Claude Castleberry, Arthur Gotcher and others with the robbery of the Farmers State Bank of Pittsburgh, early in September. He entered a plea of guilty before District Judge J. W. Bolen on November 10 and was sentenced. He was enrolled at the state penitentiary three days later.

A complete description of Stewart together with a picture of two positions has been sent out by Warden Switzer. A reward has been offered for his capture.

On April 18, Stewart and his wife signed a deed in Oklahoma City 10 acres of land which they hold in Pontotoc county.

Judge Bolen stated this afternoon that he had talked over long distance "phone with the Oklahoma county jailer who said Ed Stewart is in jail there and has been for several days.

Fair Weather Ahead.

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Weather outlook for the week beginning today: Upper Mississippi and Lower Missouri valleys generally fair and normal temperatures.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

THE SOONER - - - By Edward E. Dale, O. U.

Both Bill an' me wuz campin' Along the Kansas line, Both seekin' Oklahoma land The spring of '89;

And on the twenty-second, When they told us all to "Go," I give ol' sorrel top th' rein, An' led th' bloomin' show.

I knew the best location, An' led th' crowd a fere-ye-well, I waded th' crowd a fere-ye-well, But kept the same old gait;

At last before my eager eyes, Th' chosen spot appears, And there wuz Bill a plowin' With a yoke o' spotted steers.

For Bill, he wuz a Sooner, He had riz before th' day And sneaked across and staked the promised land, And kept it too, By Ginge!

Spite of all that I could say, So I took a farm of rocky hills and sand.

For Bill, he wuz a Sooner, He had riz before th' day, An' promptly carried off and wed the gal And they lived together happy, Spite of all her dad could say, So I married Smith's red-haired daughter Sal.

Now, Bill and me are older, Than back in '89, Perhaps another score o' years, Will see us o'er the line: And now I tell my neighbors, About that land o' light, Where is no pain or sorrow, But all is fair an' bright, But when the judgment mornin' At last comes rollin' round, And we our narrow prison burst When Gabriel's trump shall sound; I know that when we pass the gate, To claim our rich reward, We'll find the central mansion staked An' Bill a standin' guard.

For Bill, he is a Sooner, Just before the judgment day, He'll rise and stake the tree o' life in haste; And keep it, too, By Ginge! Spite of all the Lord can say, And make us pawn our wings to buy a taste.

FLOOD RAMPAGE OF MISSISSIPPI SUBSIDING NOW

Wide Tracts of Land Laid
Waste Through Valley
of Wild Stream.

TOWN IS NEW VENICE

Rowboats Take Refugees
About the Streets While
Homes Under Water.

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Apparently ending its flood rampage of the spring, the Mississippi river today was reported falling gradually from St. Louis to Cairo, Ill., leaving in its wake more than 200,000 acres of lands wasted in Alexander, Jackson and Union Co. in southern Illinois, causing a loss of over \$2,000,000 in crops and livestock, and making approximately 1,000 persons, mostly negroes, homeless.

Four drainage districts, Durdonia, Preston, Creal Creek and Alexander, bordering the river from Chester, Ill., to Gale, a distance of 80 miles, about three miles in width are covered with flood waters, as a result of levees protecting the area breaking under the heavy pressure of the unprecedented high stage at some points.

Numerous row boats were to be seen on the streets of McClure, Ill., today. The town, with a population of nearly 500 and the largest in the overflow area, was covered with three feet of water and presented a picture of a miniature Venice.

Crops Total Loss.

An expensive crop of alfalfa was growing in the flooded section, and with crops of corn and wheat, will probably be a total loss, according to estimates of land owners Much poultry and livestock perished in the flood. Flood sufferers are being cared for at refugee camps which have been established at Cairo, Anna and Fayetteville. Nearly 200 families are lodged in these camps, while the steamer, Free State and Kankakee are rescuing stranded persons. Various relief organizations and the Illinois national guard have been supplying the refugees with shelter, food and medical supplies.

New Levee Breaks.

New Orleans, April 22.—A levee on the west bank of the Mississippi river at Myrtle Grove, about 39 miles north of New Orleans, broke today, and many plantations are being flooded. About 60 feet of embankment went out and government barges with men and material were sent from here to the scene.

The section being inundated contained many sugar plantations and orange groves. No information is available as to the area which will be affected in event the break cannot be mended.

The river at New Orleans early today showed a rise of 3 feet, bringing the state to 22.4 feet, 4 foot higher than the record established in 1912.

NOTICE MASONS

Ada Lodge No. 119 will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock for the purpose of work in E. A. Degree. Visitors cordially invited to meet with us.—F. R. Laird, W. M.

Two-thirds of all coal mined in the United States is used for generating power.

First Run for Homes.

Also the opening of Oklahoma was the first run for homes in the country's history. It is understood that President Cleveland conceived the idea of the run from the fact that Captain David L. Payne, known as the "Father of Oklahoma," had headed several caravans of homeseekers into the territory during the middle '80s in efforts to force an opening.

All of these failed, however, and Payne and his men were always arrested by federal troops and removed from the scene of their operations. The colonists would make a "run" into the country, homestead claims and commence farming. They were the forerunners.

At Rock Falls, a scenic spot on the Chikaskia river, in the northwestern portion of Kay county, Payne and his colonists established a town, laid out farms and began work. He even put in a newspaper but the soldiers came again, routed the colonists, chased them back into Kansas and threw Payne's type and printing plant into the Chikaskia.

Payne did not live to see the actual opening of the territory in 1889.

Railway Brought Them.

In addition to the thousands of men, women and children who made that first run for homesteads in prairie schooners, farm wagons, buggies, sulkeys and every other conceivable conveyance as well as on horseback and on foot, the Santa Fe railway company ran a special train in from both the north and south to establish the towns of Oklahoma City, Guthrie and others.

Other thousands came in this manner, the trains being loaded not only to capacity but with all available space taken on the steps, in the vestibules, on the rods and over the tops.

On the first train from the south on that first day came Nannette Daisy.

She had been a school teacher back in old Kentucky and, in fact, was a cousin of that other Daisy (Continued on Page Two)

State Celebrates Today Her 33 Year Since Race For Homes April 22, 1889

On April 22, 1889, thirty-three years ago today, Oklahoma was born.

The baby commonwealth, with six counties, really came into existence by proclamation of President Benjamin Harrison.

Those six counties were Logan, Payne, Kingfisher, Canadian, Oklahoma and Cleveland. The cities of Guthrie, Kingfisher and Oklahoma City sprang into existence over night with the race for prominence close between them for a number of years. Oklahoma was truly a "piece meal" state. It was added to as follows:

"No Man's Land" as Deaver county, came in, also by proclamation of Benjamin Harrison, in 1890.

Lincoln and Pottawatomie counties were born soon afterward in the opening of the Sac and Fox reservations.

The Cheyenne-Arapaho country was thrown open in 1892, and Blaine, Dewey, Custer and numerous other counties were added.

The Cherokee Strip was next, in the fall of 1893, with Kay, Noble, Garfield and other counties.

The Kiowa-Comanche country was opened in 1901, with the counties of those created, along with Caddo.

During Roosevelt's administration, a few years later, the Big Pasture was opened, along the Red River.

During territorial days, Greer county had been taken away from Texas and ceded to Oklahoma.

INTRODUCING 1922 Graduate OF ADA HIGH

Sarah Daggs.

Miss Sarah Daggs, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Daggs, is a graduating senior at Ada high school this year. She is completing four years of work, having started in the local school as a freshman immediately following her graduation from Ada grade schools.

Miss Daggs is planning to enroll in the Teachers College next year. She has not decided what vocation she will select. She has taken part in several school enterprises.

SPRING TO HELP CITY'S NEEDY, IS BELIEF OF MAN

Reduction in Red Cross expenditures for the spring months will be necessary on account of waning funds for charitable purposes, according to announcements issued today.

Mrs. Orville Snead, secretary, said although unemployment was somewhat extensive in the county, she was of the opinion that much could be saved in the expense budget when gardens produce vegetables for the tables of poor families. Mrs. Snead is compiling a report for the work during January, February and March hand this will be ready to make public within a few days.

Need for the establishment of an overall or shirt factory to give unemployment to unskilled women workers has been stressed in appeals to the Chamber of Commerce, it is understood. Many women of the city who have been depending upon washing to support their families have had their receipts cut materially by the fact that many women who previously have hired their washing done are now doing it themselves, Mrs. Snead said.

Two-thirds of all coal mined in the United States is used for generating power.

BALLOTS GO OUT SOON TO 600,000 UNION LABORERS

System Employed by Roads
In Repair Work Made
Complaint Basis.

CONVENTION ENDED

Federal Shopcrafts to Take
Stand Solidly Behind
Walkout, Belief.

(By the Associated Press)

CHICAGO, April 22.—Grievances centering about the conduct of systems employed by some railroads in the handling of repair work has resulted in a vote for distribution of strike ballots to the 600,000 members of the railroad employees department of the American Federation of Labor. This department comprises the six federated craftshops and switchmen's union of North America.

Authorization for the strike ballots was voted at the sixth biennial convention of the department, which concluded its session today.

"If there is a strike, and I feel sure our men will vote solidly for it, it will be in protest of railroads ignoring decisions of the United States railroad labor board," said B. M. Jewell, president of the railroad employees department. "The labor board now has several complaints against contracts, for farming out systems, pending. It has been expected that decision would be rendered at the conclusion of present wage hearings.

Ignored Board Orders.

"The carriers have arbitrarily reduced wages in defiance of the board," said Mr. Jewell. They have restored the piece work system to the farming out system which is a mere substitute by which they ditch the labor board decision.

"A year ago we favored a piece system because of the assurance given by the labor board that no further wage reduction would be considered for some time.

"But this time I am sure the issue will come to a showdown. So far as we are concerned it is a fight for existence."

Mr. Jewell said that the question was simple—whether to strike or not to strike.

Mr. Jewell charged that the roads are "dodging the board's rulings," by letting out shops to contractors. "The carriers have been getting away with it thus far," said Mr. Jewell. "We are going to find out whether they can continue to do so. The board it must be remembered, has no real power to enforce its decision. It must rely solely upon the influence of public opinion."

**U. S. FOOD PRODUCTS CO.
LISTED IN BANKRUPTCY**

(By the Associated Press)

NEW YORK, April 22.—A petition in bankruptcy against the United States Food Products corporation was filed in federal court today. Liabilities of \$36,996,839 included the liabilities of subsidiary companies, and assets of \$57,842,896 were listed.

HAMBONE'S MEDITATIONS

PAHSON DONE GOT SO HE
MAKE 'EM STAN' UP T'
SING WHILS' DEY PASSIN'
DE HAT--AH SPEC DA'S
SO'S DEY KIN GIT DEY
HAN' DOWN IN DEY POCKET
MO' BETTUH!!!



OKLAHOMA WEATHER.
Tonight and Sunday partly
cloudy to cloudy; warmer tonight.

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BIBLE THOUGHT OF TODAY

GOD'S PLEASANT SURPRISES:—Eye hath not seen, nor ear heard, neither have entered into the heart of man, the things which God hath prepared for them that love him.—1 Corinthians 2:9.

HOW JURIES DIFFER

The Fatty Arbuckle case brings out a curious feature about the different views individuals take of matters. In his first trial the jury was 10 to 2 for acquittal. The second stood 10 to 2 for conviction while the third acquitted him in less than one minute. Presumably the same evidence was presented in each trial but a total of 24 jurors took one view and 12 the other. We have known cases where a jury would give a man a death sentence and the next one acquit an alleged accomplice in the crime, equally involved, on the identical evidence that brought a verdict of death for the other. The jury system is far from perfect, but perhaps it is the best that can be devised.

According to a writer in a well known magazine the proprietor of a news stand in New York that specializes in papers from distant states which he keeps on sale for the benefit of those interested in these places, especially transients who want to see their old home papers, says that it is interesting to not how men from various sections act when buying papers. For instance a man from Bangor, Maine, usually begins by inquiring for a paper from somewhere else and finally takes one from Bangor, remarking that he was there for a short time once. Others also appear to be anxious to conceal their home towns, but not so a guy from Oklahoma or Texas. These live wires call for their home papers with an air of pride and at once tell all who will stop to listen what humming towns they live in. He gives the residents of Fort Worth first place among these boosters but several other places in the Southwest are not far behind in showing this pardonable pride in their home towns.

The allied nations refused to stand for the deal pulled off by the Germans and bolsheviks in framing a treaty that would have worked against the interests of the others. It now appears that this will have the effect of unifying the allies again. It would be much to the advantage of both the Germans and the Russians if they could create a difference of opinion and interest among the allies, just as the Turks have done for more than a century, but they took the wrong method this time. Playing one nation against another was a game the old sultan of Turkey pulled for many years and the Germans and bolsheviks should make a careful study of his methods before attempting to put anything else over.

Ada is stepping out. The little city where dreams come true is making rapid strides forward regardless of business depression and the boll weevil. A great amusement park is to be erected this fall by Honest Bill Newton where the fair grounds now are. A Memorial Hall is to be voted on. A golf club has been organized. There is much talk of new factories, and the pickle plant is assured. The summer term of the college bids fair to be the best yet. There seems to be no doubt that Old Man Gloom was permanently and securely buried a few weeks back.

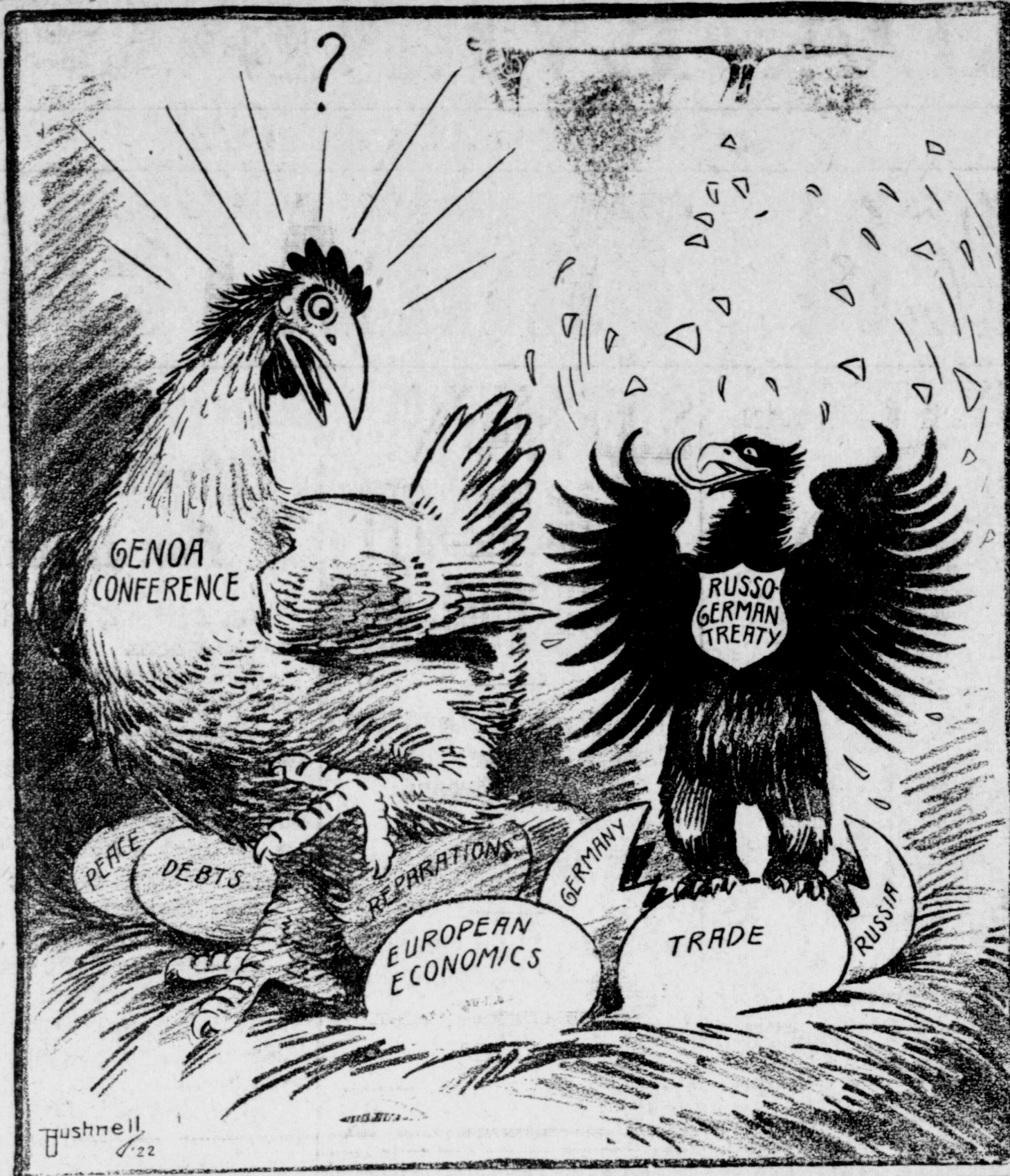
Cheering reports of the rapid recovery of Serbia from the effects of the war are now being heard. The little country was apparently utterly wiped off the map by the Austrians and Bulgarians, but its people have lost no time in restoring it to its pre-war status and among other features there is no unemployment problem. It is said that in addition to the native population a good many thousand aliens are finding work and a means of subsistence. You can't down a country like that.

Boss Hays of Movieland has vetoed the plan to experiment with the public mood towards Fatty Arbuckle by releasing two or three of his pictures. Evidently Fatty's escapade did not add as much to his popularity as such stunts are usually supposed to do and he is to be barred out for the time being without having the public to pass judgment on his case.

General Pershing is being suggested as a senatorial possibility in Missouri. He says he is not in politics but does not say he would turn down the nomination if tendered him. History records the names of a number of distinguished soldiers whose reputation would have been brighter had they not been lured into politics. Some have got away with it but it is rather risky for any soldier with a high reputation, such as Pershing has.

It often happens that the under dog in the scrap is there because it is natural for him to be there. In our everyday life we see men going about in an apologetic manner as though asking the world to excuse them for encumbering a portion of its surface for a few years. They simply will not stand up in a give and take scrap such as any man must put up if he gets anywhere in life. The first lesson the youth must learn is to refuse to be made the under dog.

AN UNEXPECTED HATCHING



The Forum of the Press

Don't Forget War's Lesson.
(Kansas City Journal)

The national defense act of 1920 was one of the most far-sighted military measures passed by congress in the history of the country. It is far-sighted, judicious and constructive because it permits the foundation of a strong national defense without the maintenance of an unduly large standing army, the expense of which would have been entirely out of place in the post-war reconstruction era.

The act provides for a small standing army, a well trained and equipped national guard and a new feature in American military organization, the organized reserves. The latter are skeleton organizations, composed of the most part of commissioned and non-commissioned officers who saw service during the war. They are to be trained and made ready for action when a national emergency exists. The skeleton organizations will be filled out with men when war is declared, and the will be saved by having at hand officers trained sufficiently to handle troops on a few hours' notice.

The war department's program is more or less uncertain because of the apparent tendency of congress to economize. It is doubtful if economy which hinders the full development of the organized reserve is economy of the right sort. This part of the national defense means the perpetuation of the experience gained during the war, an experience which was paid for in lives, and which therefore cannot be discarded thoughtlessly. The plan is not expensive, because the skeleton units necessitate a comparatively small upkeep. Yet in time or war they will be found to be invaluable.

It is only natural that the public should show signs of forgetting the lessons of the war. As new generations come on, the old attitude will be revived—war will be considered something to be avoided, but little attention will be given to its effective prosecution. This is because only a very small percentage of the population can ever know what war really is, can ever realize the imperative necessity of having men trained and ready to take up arms when necessity calls. Only those who have been there can really know.

The millennium has not arrived and there are no signs that it will arrive for the next few years. America should not forget the lessons of the war—lessons of which the dead and crippled should be reminded. There are no lessons more tragically or dearly learned than those of war, and to forget them is a sign of national fickleness.

What You Want.
(Wichita Times)

Circuses are out on the road again. Most interesting is the menagerie. And, in the menagerie, most interesting is the giraffe, large ruminant mammal from Africa, known as "the camelopard."

You stop in front of the giraffe and reflect what an awful time he must have when he develops sore throat.

If a scientist is with you, he explains that the giraffe at one time did not have a neck longer than a horse's—that the giraffe developed his long neck during thousands of years in which he stretched his neck to get at the tender leaves in the tops of trees.

This is a practical illustration of how, in the mystery of life that arises from the dust of our earth, a goal is achieved by the concentration of desire.

Evolutionists, who arouse the ire of William Jennings Bryan, claim that all forms of life on earth are

adapted and changed by nature to fit their environment.

For instance, the fish in underground rivers are blind. Their eyes have been taken from them because they no longer need it.

Or, taking your own body: In your brain is a tiny thing known as the pineal gland. Zoologists say the pineal gland is a remnant of a third eye which our jungle ancestors had in the back of their heads. Theoretically, it was needed then, to watch for stalking beasts. Now, no longer needed, it is vanishing.

The giraffe, desiring to reach the tops of trees, took many thousands of years to grow a long neck. So with other animals and their desires. Man, possessing an intellect, was impatient. His brain showed him a short-cut.

Instead of waiting for hundreds of succeeding generations to develop him a long neck for reaching to high places, man's brain originated a short-cut—the invention of the ladder.

In millions of other ways, this illustrates how man's inventive brain ingenuity has stolen a march on nature.

But, regardless of whether it is a giraffe developing a long neck or man devising a short-cut, it suggests this:

That desire to accomplish something is one of the most dynamic forces of life.

The more you desire a thing, the more certain you are to get it.

Desire a thing hard enough and, if it is a just proposition, chances are you will get what you want.

In other words, almost any goal is reachable if you work steadfastly toward it and never lose heart.

Legion Auxiliary To Observe Mothers Day In Fitting Ceremony

(By the Associated Press)

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 21.—Mother's Day, which falls this year on Sunday, May 14, will be observed nationally, as well as locally by every one of the 2,500 units of the American Legion Auxiliary. Assistance will be given the woman's organization by the 11,000 posts of the American Legion. Announcement of the plans for observance were made here today by Miss Pauline Curnick, secretary of the auxiliary.

The National effort at observance will be symbolized by an impressive ceremony over the body of the Unknown Soldier, in the national cemetery at Arlington, Va. Tribute will be paid to the unknown mother of this soldier, who was buried with distinctive honors last

Armistice Day. Ceremonies will be held over the graves of war dead in other parts of the country.

It is planned to have Legion and Auxiliary members unite in community services, to be held in all towns on the afternoon of Mother's Day. Auxiliary units will arrange concerts in hospitals in which there are veterans of the late war and programs of entertainment also will be given in orphan asylums in which there are children of men of the World War.

The Auxiliary also will promote the observance of established features of the day, such as church attendance, in the morning, preaching of appropriate sermons and the urging of everyone to write or wire his mother on that day or send her flowers.

Mother's Day was originated by Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia. The American Legion Auxiliary is composed of the mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of Legion men.



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ied with distinctive honors last Armistice Day. Ceremonies will be held over the graves of war dead in other parts of the country.

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The Auxiliary also will promote the observance of established features of the day, such as church attendance, in the morning, preaching of appropriate sermons and the urging of everyone to write or wire his mother on that day or send her flowers.

Mother's Day was originated by Miss Anna Jarvis, of Philadelphia. The American Legion Auxiliary is composed of the mothers, wives, sisters and daughters of Legion men.

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Manufacturers of Refrigerators, Freezer Cases, Refrigerator Show Cases, Butcher Boxes, Ice Boxes, Butchers' supplies; cash or time; 901 East Main Street; Shawnee, Oklahoma.

Political Announcements

The News is authorized to announce the following as candidates for the offices named, subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

State Offices

FOR DISTRICT JUDGE: WAYNE WADLINGTON D. W. HUFFAR

For State Senator: W. H. EBEY JOSEPH C. LOONEY

For State Insurance Commissioner: E. W. HARDIN

For State Treasurer: A. S. J. SHAW

County Offices

For County Superintendent: F. E. GRAY A. FLOYD—(Re-election) A. T. WATSON MRS. PARRIE BRITT

For County Clerk: RIT IRWIN

For County Weigher: J. M. (JIM) BYRD JOHN WARD—(Re-election) GEORGE C. BEVEL

For County Attorney: A. C. CHANEY H. F. MATHIS J. W. DEAN

For Sheriff: JOE E. SLOAN BOB DUNCAN

For County Treasurer: J. I. LAUGHLIN J. W. (JIM) WESTBROOK ORIN NELSON ALBERT CHAMBERLAIN

For County Tax Assessor: NICK HEARD—(Re-election)

For Court Clerk: L. E. FRANKLIN (2nd term)

For Justice of the Peace: JOSEPH ANDERSON

County Commissioner, Dist. No. 2. CHARLEY LASEMAN I. R. GILMORE L. D. BRANDON

For County Commissioner: (District No. 3) J. W. HIGBEE

FIVE DEATHS REPORTED FROM GAS TANK EXPLOSION

(By the Associated Press)

LOS ANGELES, April 22.—Five deaths were reported early today in hospitals at Downey and Artesia, near here, as a result of the explosion yesterday morning of a gasoline tank and gasoline tank wagon while scores were fighting a fire in a gasoline filling station at Downey. Five others seriously burned were reported in a critical condition at hospitals in Downey and here.

Paraguay will be the Mecca of Mennonites from all over the world if the government will agree to exempt them from military service.

WANTED

All men not attending Sunday School elsewhere to attend the

Men's Class

at Chamber of Commerce every Sunday morning at 9:30 sharp. Good singing, special music and fine lecture by Dr. A. Linscheid, president East Central State Teachers College.

We make you feel at home.

More than 90,000,000 gallons of gasoline was produced in 1918.

A Steady Craft In A Stormy Sea

When the going gets choppy and the customary smoothness of life becomes upset, the fragile spendthrift crafts skurry for shore. Unmindful of the weather the steady boat of the man with a saving account carries him on to the predetermined goal.

Like a sturdy little tug boat a savings account faithfully added to, will pull you into port in the roughest sea. We pay you to save your money.

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Specials In Toilet Articles

-for-
To-night and Monday



The proper selection and application of our Toilet-tries will enable you to meet the summer breezes and sun unscathed. Note these special prices:

- Cutex Manicure Preparations, 35c size 24c
- Mavis Talcum Powder 18c
- Mary Garden Face Powder 69c
- Jergens' Bath Soap 3 for 20c
- Pepsodent Tooth Paste 39c
- Woodbury's Face Soap 2 for 39c
- D'jer Kiss Talcum Powder 19c
- Turner's Nail Polish 17c
- D'jer Kiss Perfume; \$3.00 size \$2.25
- Colgate's Tooth Paste; small size 7c
- Hind's Honey and Almond Cream 37c
- Turner's La Rarity Face Powder; \$1 size 75c
- Packer's Tar Soap 17c
- D'jer Kiss Toilet Water \$1.49
- Jergens Violet Glycerine Soap; 3 cakes for 25c
- Woodbury's Face Powder 39c

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Black-Draught, Long in Successful Use, Praised by an Arkansas Mother, "Soon Does Its Work."

Marmaduke, Ark.—Speaking of Theford's Black-Draught, which from long use in her household has become regarded as "the family medicine," Mrs. Mary E. Hill, of Route 1, this place, says:

"When the children get bilious, I give them a couple of good doses, and when we have sour stomach, headache, or any liver or stomach trouble, we use Black-Draught. It is an easy laxative, and soon does the work. I certainly think it is one of the best remedies made."

Black-Draught acts on the liver, gently, but positively, and helps it in its important function of throwing out waste materials and poisons from the system.

In thousands of households Black-Draught is kept handy for immediate use in time of need. Prompt treatment often is half the battle, and will often prevent slight ills from developing into serious troubles.

Its well-established merit, during more than 70 years of successful use, should convince you of the helpful effects obtainable by taking Black-Draught for liver and stomach disorders. Get a package today, and keep it in your house. See that the package bears the words, "Theford's Black-Draught." NC-141

SPENT HALF HER TIME IN BED

Farmer's Wife Tells How Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Made Her a Well Woman

Carter's Creek, Tenn.—"Three years ago I was almost an invalid. I spent half of my time in bed, being afflicted with a trouble which women of a certain age are apt to have."

I took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Tablets and used Lydia E. Pinkham's Sanative Wash. I am a well woman now and have been for two years. I can work as well as any one who is younger and as I am a farmer's wife I have plenty to do for I cultivate my own garden, raise many chickens and do my own housework. You may publish this letter as I am ready to do anything to help other women as I have been so well and happy since my troubles are past."—Mrs. E. T. GALLOWAY, Carter's Creek, Tenn.

Most women find plenty to do. If they are upset with some female ailment and troubled with such symptoms as Mrs. Galloway had, the smallest duty seems a mountain.

If you find it hard to keep up, if you are nervous and irritable, without ambition and out of sorts generally, give the Vegetable Compound a fair trial. We believe it will help you greatly, for it has helped others.

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Why Don't You Drive?

Nearly all your friends do — why not YOU? Perhaps you never realized how easy it is to get a reliable car.

A Few of This Week's Offerings:

Dodge Brothers Touring

1917 production. Has had motor completely overhauled. Tires in good shape. Price very low.

Dodge Brothers Touring

1918 production. A dandy good running car. A real bargain.

Dodge Brothers Touring

A car that runs and looks as good as new. Five good tires. The purchaser of this car will be more than pleased with both the car and the price.

Ford Touring

Special bargain this week, \$150.

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IN SOCIETY

Alexander-Cole

A quiet home wedding was celebrated Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Cole when their daughter, Willie, was given in marriage to Floyd T. Alexander.

The house was beautifully decorated in ferns and potted flowers. The bride and bridegroom entering together, were met by the Rev. C. C. Morris and the impressive ring ceremony was said.

Mrs. Alexander is well known, having spent most of her life here. She is a graduate of the local high school and teachers college and is an active member of the Phi Beta sorority, having been president last year.

Mr. Alexander is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Alexander of El Reno. He is connected with the Oklahoma Portland Cement company and a member of the local Masonic and Elk lodges.

The young couple left Friday for a short honeymoon trip to Oklahoma City and El Reno. Mr. and Mrs. Alexander will be at home to their friends after May 1 at 1142 South Stockton.

Senior-Preps In Outing.

Members of the senior-prep class enjoyed their first spring outing Thursday when they loaded into a truck and went to Sulphur to spend the day picnicking. They were accompanied by Prof. Nelson and Miss Ida Salin Williams.

After arriving at Sulphur the seniors spent the day looking about Platt National park, and later enjoyed a luncheon at Bromide Springs. They started for home at 4 o'clock.

Those who enjoyed this trip were: Misses Annie Mae Moore, Velma Jordan, Nola Huddleston, Hattie Walby, Beulah Jones, Bess Kitchens, Irene Walker, Lorene Neel, Nena Simerly, Jewell Crumley, Fleda Dickerson, Blanch Pollock, Mabel Clark, Allie Baugh, Viola Earnest, Azza McCracken, Nellie Henderson, Ala Swindle, Lilla Oxley, Mildred McClure, Hazel Jones, Eva Hagar, Connie Clark, Ollie Ball, Molly Stewart, Dina Weaver, Pauline Smith, Mabel Pollock, Mabel Clark, and Messrs. Eddie Miller, Loyd Lain, Clarence Bronaugh, Bernice Oxley, Emerson, Robertson, Roy Young, Homer Kuykendall, Jim Ragland, Otis Floyd and B. A. Howard.

Holds Birthday Party.

Master Raymond Dixon entertained a large number of his friends Friday afternoon honoring his seventh birthday. All enjoyed themselves in playing out door games for an hour after which all were invited in the dining room and refreshments were served to the following: Helen Clausner, Jean Harwell, Floy Mayner, Loretta Arnett, Mary Frances Holloman, Elmore King, Jessie Mae Ledford, William Chaffin, W. J. Hughes, Edwin Hughes, Homer Hensler Jr., Raymond Gay, Clifford Gay, and Raymond Dixon.

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Garfield County wheat farm for Ada property. Describe fully what you submit; state incumbrance, if any.

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Ada Evening News

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Wireless aerial wire and strong insulators at Light office 4-19-3td*

BABY CHICKS—Single Comb White Leghorns, Ferris strain. Mrs. J. L. Boring, route 1, Ada. Phone R-45 4-13-12td*

FOR SALE—Second hand roadster and second hand touring car in Al condition. W. E. Harvey. 4-17-td

FOR SALE—Second hand electric washer, 119 South Broadway. Phone 70. 4-21-3td*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New five room house; will consider car as part pay. Phone 100 or 602. 4-22-3*

Let a News Want Ad get it.

Misses Cyril Martin and Louise Barney took charge of the guests and conducted them to the punch bowl presided over by Nora Abney, Helen Moser, Viola West and Violet Moore.

Allison Norris and Janis Johns took them from there to the register in charge of La Vern Cottingham who presented them with favors carrying Sorority colors and flowers, with the event, date and place written on them.

Misses Gervis Bills, Jimmy Lloyd and Reba Martin saw the guests to

the door and bade them good afternoon.

Music throughout the afternoon was furnished by Miss Louise Martin.

About one hundred and fifty guests called and almost every high school in the district was represented.

In Ada, week beginning May 1.
4-19-1t
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City Briefs

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Dr. Coltrane, osteopathic physician. 3-3-1m

Mrs. Fred Gay has returned from a visit to relatives at Weleetka.

I am going to buy that car at Walter Wray's. 4-20-3t

Have your friends meet you at Allen's. 4-21-2td

Dressmaking—Mrs. Cales, 115 East 12th street, Tel. 887. 4-14-1m

Walter Wray sure makes cars easy to get. 4-20-3td

Hair cuts 25c. Dorsey Barber Shop. 4-14-1mo*

Coach Ed Brents is in the city this week-end with his baseball team from Purcell.

Russell Battery Co. Willard Service and sales. Phone 140. 8-6-1m

When you wish to make gifts which express life, beauty and sweetness, send flowers. 4-21-tf

Mrs. J. W. Worthey left today for Oklahoma City to spend a few days visiting friends.

We loan you a battery while repairing yours. Ada Storage Battery Co. 4-22-1 month.

Walter Wray sure has the bargains in used cars. 4-20-3td

T. O. Cullins has returned from Oklahoma City where he spent a few days this week looking after business matters.

McCarty Bros. can fix that old tire or tube. Phone 855. 2-1-1mo

When you wish to meet a friend down town make it a point to have them wait at Allen's. 4-21-2t

W. H. Steed, Pat Grigsby and his sons, Duard and Jack, left overland yesterday for Ponca City on business.

All good tire are not Federals but all Federals are good tires. Three Square Deal. 4-18-tf

Get your spring flower plants before they are all picked over. Ada Greenhouse. 4-12-tf

Miss Millie Capshaw, teacher in the Holdenville high school is in the city this week-end with her glee club and boys chorus.

Where you going after supper. Down to Allen's to enjoy the orchestra music. 4-21-2t*

Motor Sales Co.—Parts and accessories for all cars. 3-4-1mo

W. H. Fisher and J. C. Deaver returned yesterday from Dallas where they have been studying the city's form of government from every angle.

Miller Bros. Tailors, Cleaners and Hatters. Phone 422. 4-10-1m*

We save you money on battery repair work. Ada Storage Battery Co. 4-22-1 month.

Carl Stanfield, Bailey Bobbitt, Foster McSwain, S. L. McClure, and Walter Wray went to Oklahoma City yesterday to attend a Shrine ceremonial.

Oiled paper for wrapping butter. Tablet of 250 sheets 50c.—News Office. tf

For a pleasant evening go to Allen's. Excellent fountain service and orchestra music. 4-21-2td

Mrs. Houston Mount, formerly Miss Lillian Faust, is visiting her father and mother, Dr. and Mrs. W. D. Faust at 139 West Nineteenth street. Her home is now in Weleetka.

Spring is here—if I only had a car. See Walter Wray and own one. 4-20-3td

Hemstitching and piecing on all materials, service while you shop. Ada Hemstitching Shop at Shaws. 3-22-1mo.

Mrs. Percy Riggins, formerly Miss Alma Mount, is quite ill at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Mount on East Tenth street. She came to Ada from Weleetka for medical treatment.

Furniture repairing at reasonable prices. Jackson Bros., phone 438. 3-8-tf.

For the latest styles in slippers have them. Burk's Ctyle Shop. 4-20-2td

Today's Historical Event: United States Day was celebrated in France for the first time on April 22, 1917. This action was encouraged by the participation of the American nation in the world war.

Thomas Motor Co., for battery service. Phone 163. 212 West 12th. 11-28-tf

Crank case not only drained but washed free. A-1 Filing Station. 4-1-1mo

Wade Stevens has returned from Anardako, Okla., where he was called a few days ago on account of the illness of his mother, Mrs. J. F. Stevens. Mrs. Stevens passed away at a ripe age. Wade is now back on the job at the Harris Hotel.

We loan you a battery while repairing yours. Kit Carson. Phone 2, 225 East Main. 1-2-1mo

Furniture Repairing, work called

for and delivered. Phone 209. Frank Monroe. 2-15-1mo.

Miss Laura Radnash, teacher in Davis high school, is the guest of friends here this week-end while attending the East Central meet. She is director of the Davis glee clubs which were entered in the literary contests.

Skilled repair work on all makes of batteries at reasonable prices. Kit Carson, Phone 2, 225 East Main. 1-2-1mo

Among some of the older students of the East Central Normal who are here with teams are Prof. Joan Garrison of Tupelo, and Prof. Fred Sloan of Bearden. These were formerly leaders in literary activities at the Normal and were active in athletics. Both are making good in the school room and are considered a credit to their alma mater.

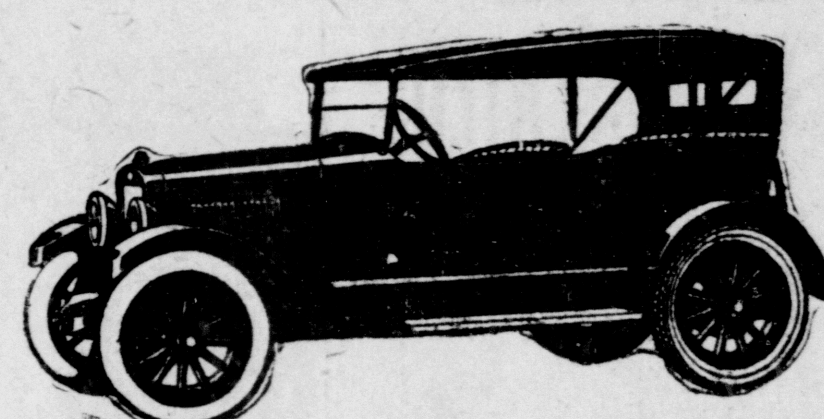
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Percales with detachable and attached collars, in stripes, checks and plain shades.

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Fine 80-square Percales, woven and silk stripe Madras, and Russian cords, also fine Soisette Shirts in the patterns most favored for Spring.

UNIONS

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Fine Dimity checks, Soisettes, white eyelet clothes, and mercerized Silks, made with drop and flap seats, all with elastic back and sides.

Shaw's DEPARTMENT STORE



Wetumka High Wins District Baseball Title Here Today

TENNIS DOUBLES RESULT DELAYED

Roff Defeats Lehigh for Single Honors Before Record Crowd

After recessing for luncheon, those in charge of the tennis tournament this afternoon resumed the playing off of finals in boys' singles and girls' singles and doubles. Prof. B. Molloy is in charge and he announced just after noon that it probably would be three o'clock before finals had been completed.

Roff high school won the boys' singles this morning from Lehigh in a good game, the score being 6-2, 6-4, 6-4. Large crowds have been attending the tennis games, and those in charge stated that interest was much higher than usual.

With but three courts the singles and doubles for boys, and singles and doubles for girls in the tennis tournament were pushed through all day Friday and could not be completed until noon Saturday. Boys' singles were completed first, with girls' singles and boys' doubles following, and girls doubles left for the last event.

Scores in preliminaries, and final:

Boys' singles—Sulphur drew bye; Pauls Valley defeated Holdenville on default; Lehigh defeated Davis, 6-1, 6-1; Stratford was defeated by Tishomingo, 6-3, 6-3; Purcell defeated Spaulding on default; Tecumseh won from Okemah, 6-2, 7-9; Roff won from Lindsay on a default; Ada drew bye.

Second Preliminaries—Pauls Valley eliminated Sulphur, 4-6, 6-1, 6-1; Lehigh defeated Tishomingo, 6-3, 6-2; Purcell defeated Tecumseh, 6-4, 6-4; Roff defeated Ada, 6-2, 6-2. This left Pauls Valley, Lehigh, Roff and Purcell in the semi-finals.

Semi-finals—Pauls Valley was eliminated by Lehigh, 6-1, 7-9, 6-2; Purcell was eliminated by Roff, 5-7, 6-2, 6-1.

Girls' Singles.—Purcell won from Holdenville on default; Tishomingo won from Sulphur 5-7, 6-1, 6-3; Stratford eliminated Ada 7-5, 6-3; Davis eliminated Roff, 6-8; 6-2, 6-2.

Second preliminaries—Purcell was eliminated by Tishomingo, 6-4, 6-2; Stratford won from Davis 9-7, 6-2.

Boys' Doubles.—First preliminaries—Holdenville drew bye; Ada eliminated Tishomingo 6-4, 6-4; Lehigh eliminated Roff, 6-3, 6-9; Spaulding won from Sulphur on default; Purcell eliminated Pauls Valley, 2-6, 6-4, 7-5; Stratford lost to Tecumseh 6-1, 6-1; Lindsay lost to Okemah on default; Davis drew bye.

Second preliminaries—Ada won from Holdenville on default; Lehigh won from Spaulding on default; Purcell defeated Tecumseh, 6-2, 6-2; Davis won from Okemah 6-3, 1-6, 6-4. This left Ada, Lehigh, Purcell and Davis in semi-finals.

Semi-finals—Lehigh won over Ada 5-7, 6-3, 6-2; Purcell eliminated Davis, 6-3, 6-2.

Girls' Doubles.—Purcell won from Ada on default; Sulphur won from Davis on default; Roff won from Holdenville on default; Stratford lost to Tishomingo 6-4, 1-6, 6-3.

Semi-finals—Purcell defeated Sulphur, 12-10, 6-1; Roff lost to Tishomingo 3-6, 6-1, 6-0.

PLANS FOR FINANCING BONUS ARE DISCUSSED

WASHINGTON, April 22.—Various plans of financing a soldier's bonus were discussed today at a conference of the senate finance committee republicans, but Chairman McCumber said no definite decision had been reached.

Before their meeting is concluded, he said, representatives of the American Legion will be called in.

"I do not think that under any circumstances the bill will provide for any additional taxes," declared the chairman.

"My belief is that we can get enough out of the foreign debt to take care of the bonus, but I don't want to depend entirely upon that."

The chairman said there had not been sufficient discussion to make any forecast as to whether the cash bonus feature would be restored. He added, however, that it may be that provisions will be made for payment of cash to men entitled to not more than \$100 in adjusted service pay.

The house bill fixed this feature at \$50. It was indicated that the total cost to the treasury would be the factor upon which debate would center.

"WE'LL THROW A SCARE INTO THEM," SAYS STAR HURLER TO CONNIE MACK



Connie Mack shaking hands with Ed Rommel.

Connie Mack's athletics are making the league sit up and take notice. And the signing of Ed Rommel, long a holdout, gives the elongated leader another good pitching bet to team along with Harris and company.

SCULLIN WINNER PULLS HIS BOAT OVER ICY TRACK

DULUTH, Minn., April 22.—Rain or shine, Walter Hoover of the Duluth Boat Club, amateur singles sculling champion of North America, holder of the Philadelphia challenge title daily propels his work boat over the ice clogged course in Superior bay and in the neighboring waters of Lake Superior in preparation for his season's program, principally for the English Henley races for which he recently made application.

Hoover's application was forwarded by the rowing committee of the D. B. C. and if his entry is accepted he will leave for London June 15. The English Henley races will be rowed over the Thames river course in London, June 30.

Disappointed over the prospects for a championship race in the states when John B. Kelly, world's champion amateur sculler and former holder of the Philadelphia challenge cup, embarked of the world's title, retired, Hoover would cancel his entry in an amateur sculling event scheduled to be held at Philadelphia June 3, in his quest for world honors.

When Kelly announced his retirement this spring shortly after the time limit of acceptance or refusal of Hoover's challenge for a titular contest, the veteran Philadelphia turned the cup over to his cousin, Tom Costello, also of the Vesper Boat club, to defend.

Now a special race has been arranged for June 3, but Hoover has met and defeated every sculler entered in this regatta, the D. B. C. decided to give preference to the English event and try to place the sculling track in a meet to compete with the best English scullers, defeat of which would mean recognition for Hoover and the D. B. C.

DIVER WINS HIS DEATH STRUGGLE WITH HUGE FISH

TACOMA, April 22.—Battling for his life, 50 feet beneath the surface of Puget sound, Walter McCray, a diver, known in marine circles from Alaska to California, came out victorious here yesterday after a giant devil fish had seized him. The monster wound its tentacles so tightly about McCray that the diver was unable to remove his knife which he carried for protection. When one of the tentacles threatened to cut off the old tub, McCray, through the submarine telephone, called for a store wrecking bar. With this he was able to pierce the body of the devil fish and at last the man and monster, still struggling desperately, were dragged to the surface. The fight continued until the devil fish released its hold and disappeared under the water.

Try a News Want Ad for results.



By NORMAN E. BROWN

One Menial Stars

For while Brother Bob is pining on the pine bench with the Yankee team, Emil, with the Giants, has started off his season with a bang—a four-base one, in fact. Emil broke into the limelight in the first game with a home run off Dutch Reuther.

Emil, affectionately termed "Irish" is, like his brother, a native of Oakland, Cal. He was born June 9, 1894. Fresno club in the California league gave his start in 1913 but lost him early that season via the draft, Los Angeles grabbing him. That fall the Washington club got him the same way and then turned him out to the Elmira club. He was recalled, sent to the Minneapolis Millers, then to the Los Angeles club and then back to Elmira. Then the Nats' hold on him was lost and Elmira let him go to Birmingham. The Cubs drafted him in 1916, only to release him back to the Angeles. Once more he got caught in the draft, this time by the Phillies. He played with the Phillies until 1921. Graw gave them a bunch of dough and two players for him. He has made good with a vengeance with the Giants.

TRACK NUMBERS OPEN AT 1 O'CLOCK THIS AFTERNOON

Immediately at 1 o'clock the track and field events of the Ninth Annual Interscholastic meet was started. Officials had been posted to the schedule and every thing was progressing rapidly at the last reports from the field. Coach Thompson has charge with a staff of assistants.

On account of the large number of entries, it was found that the events went off slowly because of the heats necessary to run. The dashes and distance runs were scheduled to start first, while at the same time the weight events were to be prepared. Hurdles and other events requiring equipment were left over to the last.

Early today those in charge of the track saw to the final dragging down and marking. The field has been measured and starting points established. Field equipment was prepared and in perfect condition for the opening of the meet. With weather ideal for the events, the prediction was that several records would be broken. Henryetta, track champs of last year's meet, were on hand today with the expectation of repeating.

"Gracious me," she declared as a squad of track men dashed by. "What are those young men doing running around here in their B. V. D's?"

Ruth Law, aviatrix, has quit flying and settled down—instead of crashing down as they usually do.

Men half soles \$1; ladies 75c.—Mistletoe Shoe Shop, 217 W. Main 1-7-lmo.

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ATHLETES SERVE AS BOUNCERS IN ELECTION BRAWL

BUDAPEST, April 22.—A new occupation, open only to young huskies not afraid to fight at the top of a cabbage, has come into being here as a result of intensive campaigning for the pending elections.

Candidates opposing the government have met with such pronounced hostility that they now employ as many athletic young men as their campaign funds will permit to act as bouncers, body guards, spotters and shields for the speakers.

Opposition candidates decided to buy protection after dozens of their meetings had been broken up by bands of notorious "Awakening Hungarians," who acquired remarkable skill at heaving cabbages and soft tomatoes, ill-smelling bombs and occasionally bricks during fits of political enthusiasm.

The bouncers are stationed at various points through the hall and galleries and on the speaker's platform. Those in the audience attempt to quell disturbances at the source but should a stray vegetable break loose and head for the stage, there is always some of the hired help ready to jump in front of the speaker for an instant.

On the rare occasions when there are no disturbances, the huskies act as claquers. In many of the gatherings this is said to require almost as much courage as speaking, for an outburst of applause from any section of the house is sure to bring a collection of missiles.

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REDUCED RATES TO STATE TRACK MEET

High School Contestants May Go To Norman on Cheaper Basis.

NORMAN, April 21.—(Special)—Committees working on plans for the eighteenth annual Oklahoma interscholastic meet have arranged most of the details and are getting ready for the influx of contestants and spectators who will pour into Norman for the events which will be held April 27, 28 and 29.

The Southwestern Passengers' association of railroads has agreed to give reduced rates to contestants and visitors from the various high schools of the state, according to Hugh McDermott assistant professor of physical education, who has charge of mailing out forms for the reduced fare. The committee has had 5,000 forms printed and they will be mailed to the high school officials as fast as the entry blanks are received here.

The oval track on Boyd field is being worked over and, it is believed, will be in better condition for the meet this year than it has been for some time. All the red mud drilling machinery and debris have been cleared away from the north end and the track has been disked, regraded and is now being gone over with heavy rollers.

The southeast corner of Boyd field, where some of the baseball teams were forced to play on an improvised diamond last year, has also had considerable work done on it. The ground was plowed up at federal disked and clay mixed in with Oklahoma soft dirt, after which the roller was used to pack it down. The result upon has been a new diamond fully as good as the varsity field. This year two games can be played at the same time without the necessity of one of them being played on rough ground.

The University Y. M. C. A. and making arrangements to find room for the visitors during the meet. Row-canness of all the boarding house and sorority and fraternity houses is being made in order to find out how many boys and girls each playsday can take care of, according to V. Thornton, who is in charge of finding the rooms.

No tents will be erected for boys. 1275 this year because of the large number of new buildings and vacant rooms, according to Prof. F. G. Claude, chairman of the meet committee. Last year several tents were put up on the ground in front of the engineering building but only a few of them were used and there were fewer vacant rooms in Norman than time than at present.

HARSH BLOCKADE UPON MEXICO DEMAND OF UTA

WASHINGTON, April 21.—Bleed Masons' aid of Mexico and seizure of Mexican ports until American claims month—damages to life and property been compensated was advocated.

The senate today by Senator Magnolia democrat of Utah, in a lengthy address on the Mexican situation, said neither Oregon nor any Mexican government should be recognized, Senator King declared, guarantees are given for payment of damages "for nearly one hundred American men, women and children butchered and murdered," and property losses which he estimated at nearly \$5,000,000.

Senator King said he was inspired to make his address because of the murder and expulsion of Morriamans from Mexico, who he said, had failed to get protection from their own government.

President Harding should set up a tribunal to fix the amount of rightful damages, the speaker declared, and if Mexico should then refuse to accede to payment, the United States should proceed to block Mexico and seize her ports and customs revenue until satisfaction should be secured.

The republicans, Senator King said, had fearlessly criticized the "wait and wait" policy of former President Wilson's administration, but had failed to better conditions.

PAWUSKA.—The Pawhuska post of the American Legion, following the practice throughout the country of adopting the name of a local soldier who died in action, recently took the title of Rollie McCartney post. McCartney was killed in the Argonne, October 14, 1918.



Western League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
St. Joseph	9	1	.900
Wichita	7	2	.778
Oklahoma City	7	3	.700
Sioux City	5	5	.500
Omaha	4	6	.400
Tulsa	4	6	.400
Des Moines	2	7	.222
Denver	1	9	.100

American League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	6	2	.750
New York	6	2	.750
Philadelphia	4	3	.571
Chicago	4	3	.571
St. Louis	4	4	.500
Boston	3	4	.429
Washington	2	6	.250
Detroit	1	6	.143

National League.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	6	1	.857
Chicago	6	2	.750
St. Louis	4	3	.571
Pittsburgh	4	3	.571
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
Boston	2	4	.333
Brooklyn	2	5	.286
Cincinnati	1	7	.125

RESULTS YESTERDAY.

Western League.
At Oklahoma City 4; Denver 2.
At Omaha 2; Wichita 3.
At St. Joseph 5; Sioux City 7.
At Tulsa 5; Des Moines 7.

American League.
At New York 1; Washington 0.
At Detroit 15; Cleveland 7.
At St. Louis 5; Chicago 10.
At Philadelphia 3; Boston 10.

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According to critics, "Hail the Woman" passes from one tense, natural situation into the next, until a unique climax of the scene is realized in a superb church scene and apotheosis. Its artistic photography does justice to great allegorical scenes of the "Night of the Nativity" flashed in scenes settings of life in the New York tenements.

John Griffith Wray directed the production under the personal supervision of Thomas H. Ince.

In Ada, week beginning May 1.

Wetumka high school, state Class B champions of 1921, today re-established their claim to the district title when they easily defeated Purcell high school in the final game of the baseball tournament by a score of 8 to 3. This game ended the baseball section of the ninth annual interscholastic meet for the East Central District.

Coach Green's Wetumka men were in good form today and Sheppard pitched a good game. Both teams played well, and errors were fewer than any game played up to this time in the tournament. Bell pitcher for the Purcell team, was unable to hold the hard hitting men from Wetumka, and after allowing 14 hits lost his game. His men played errorless baseball.

Mr. Green stated today that his men would be in the tournament at Norman when the state contest comes off next week and that he was confident of winning that meet. Frank Lucas and Kirkpatrick of the Wetumka team were outstanding batters, each getting four hits out of five times up. Bell for Purcell got the longest hit, drawing a homer in the fourth with one on bases.

Box Score.
Wetumka—AB R H PO A E
Nichols, ss—3 2 0 1 0 1
Kirkpatrick, 3b—5 3 4 2 3 0
Willoughby, cf—2 1 1 4 0 1
F. Lucas, rf—5 2 4 1 0 9
Sheppard, p—4 0 1 0 5 0
Powell, c—4 0 2 8 0 1
Thompson, lf—4 0 1 0 0 0
Tiger, 2b—4 0 0 1 1 1
Mastin, lb—4 0 1 10 0 0

35 8 14 27 9 4
Purcell—
Kennedy, lb—4 0 1 5 0 0
Porter, 3b—4 0 0 0 1 0
Bell, p—4 1 2 0 3 0
Johnson, c—4 0 0 15 0 0
Azzee, lf—4 2 1 1 0 0
Ward, 2b—4 0 2 0 0 0
Henderson, rf—4 0 1 0 1 0
Williams, ss—4 0 0 3 1 0
Hunter, cf—3 0 0 0 1 0

35 3 7 24 7 0
Wray umpire.
Score by Innings:
Purcell—000—020—001—3
Wetumka—202—000—22x—8
Wetumka high school, state champions of 1921, were on the field here again Saturday and at the close of the first and second rounds had maintained their lead, earning their chance to play Purcell in the finals today. Purcell won the right to play in the finals by defeating two teams.

Wetumka defeated Ada high school in a shut-out game, 4 to 0, with Lucas in the box. He pitched two victorious games Friday. Lack of hits, prevented the locals from winning. They had just defeated the Bearden team a short time before playing the champions. Page had a bad lining in the third allowing three runs.

Score by Innings:
Wetumka—103 000 0—4 6 4
Ada—000—000—000—2 5
Purcell-Vamoosa Game
Purcell defeated the Vamoosa team 7 to 1 in the last game played Friday on the college field, eliminating the last contender before they play in the finals today. The game was slow and uninteresting.

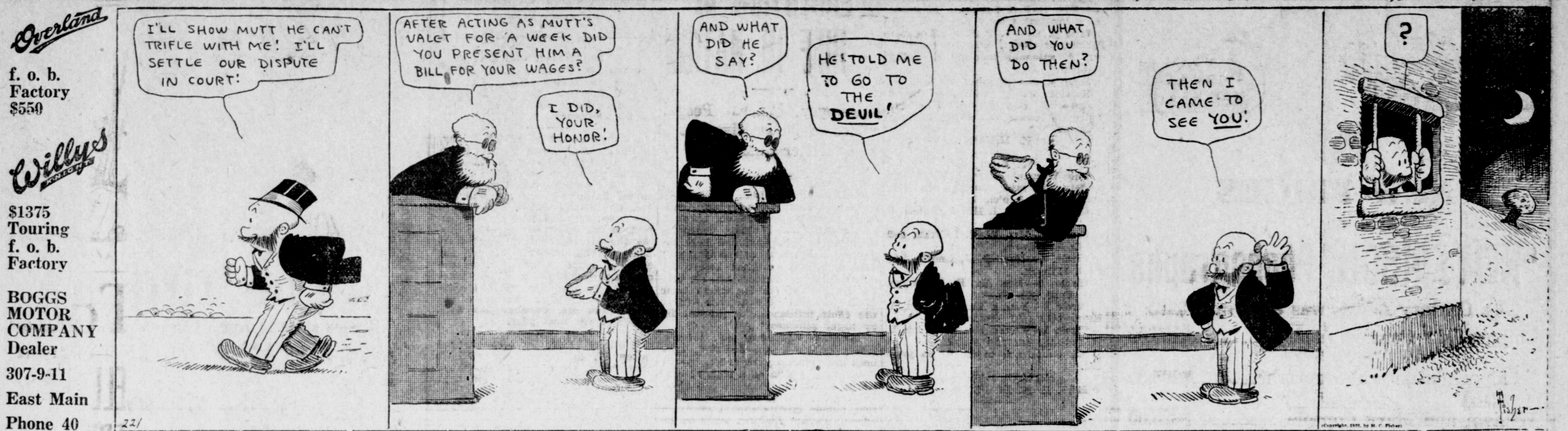
Ada Defeats Bearden
Ada made a good start in the baseball tournament by getting the best of a hitting and erroring game with the Bearden nine. The final score was 9 to 4. Ada's scores were results of errors.

Score by Innings:
Bearden—003 001 000—4 9 13
Ada—001 200 420—9 5 2
Wetumka Beats Pauls Valley
The Wetumka-Pauls Valley game was the hardest contested of the preliminaries. Although late in getting started, the Pauls Valley had staged a comeback late in the game and threatened to nose out the champs of last year. Wetumka had a safe lead, winning by a score of 6 to 5.

Score by Innings:
Pauls Valley—000 010 4—5 6 3
Wetumka—012 002 3—6 9 1
Purcell-Sulphur Game
Of all the games in the preliminary this game was the best exhibition of hitting. Both teams adopted a policy of "hit and run" with (Continued on Page Five)

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FOUND—Guitar; owner may get same by describing and paying for this ad.—J. B. Hill, Phone 725. 4-21-2td*

FOR SALE—Rex Visible Typewriter good as new. Price \$45.00. Terms. Adding Machine. Standard. Price \$85.00. Terms. See H. C. Thompson, or call at J. R. Wilson, Auto Repair Shop on 12th street. 4-21-3t*

MUSKOGEE—Neil Claire, dancer, died in a local hospital recently. She was stricken as she left the stage at a local playhouse and succumbed soon after. Doctors declared apoplexy caused her death.

WANTED

WANTED—Suits to clean and press \$1.00. Miller Bros., phone 422. 4-15-1mo*

WANTED—Your old mattresses to work over, 400 East 12th. Phone 170. Ada Mattress Factory.

WANTED—Suits to clean and press \$1.00.—J. L. Newton, Tailor. Phone 665. 4-14-1mo*

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FOR SALE—Wireless aerial wire and strong insulators at Light office. 4-19-3td*

BABY CHICKS—Single Comb White Leghorns, Ferris strain. Mrs. J. L. Boring, route 1, Ada. Phone R-45. 4-13-12td*

FOR SALE—Second hand roadster and second hand touring car in A1 condition. W. E. Harvey. 4-17-1td*

FOR SALE—Second hand electric washer, 119 South Broadway. Phone 70. 4-21-3t*

FOR SALE OR TRADE—New five room house; will consider car as part pay. Phone 100 or 602. 4-22-3*

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WETUMKA HIGH WINS TITLES

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Purcell getting the best of the affair, winning 10 to 7.

Score by Innings: R H E
Sulphur 120 200 020—7 7 5
Purcell 591 260 11x—10 14 4

RUSSIAN SOVIET LEADER ACCEPTS BID OF EMANUEL

GENOA, April 22.—George Titcher, the Russian soviet foreign minister, gave the Italian socialists and communists a shock today by meeting King Victor Emanuel on his visit here and accepting His Majesty's invitation to a luncheon on board the Italian dreadnaught Cone di Chavour.

French Protest Note.
GENOA, April 22.—The French delegation to the economic conference has submitted a protest against the German reply to the allied note in which the Germans state they will refrain from discussing questions settled in the Russo-German treaty. The French contend that Germany under their reply may insist on discussing other Russian questions.

RED ROSE FEASTS AND ACCEPTS NEW NEOPHYTES HERE

A half hundred teachers of this district assembled in the Home Dining Room Friday evening and enjoyed the hospitality of the Old Man. The banquet was of the general order, chicken predominating. Several lowly neophytes were on hand and insisted on eating with the wrong "tools" and at the wrong time. Few evidences of "mentality" put in their appearance.

After the banquet the members of the Red Rose attended the exercises at the literary meet at the College. After these exercises the neophytes were introduced to the Old Man and taught the ways of the school man. The new ritual was used, which is considered an improvement over that used in the beginning of the order.

COAL MARKET IS DULL AS STRIKE CONTINUES

CHICAGO, April 22.—With the closing of the third week of the nation-wide coal strike affecting more than 600,000 miners, a survey of conditions show an increase in accumulated loaded cars on sidings, with the market dull. Central Illinois operators report 2,500 car loads awaiting orders, and southern Illinois 3,368 more. The total in the fields is nearly 10,000.

In Ada, week beginning May 1.

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STATE CELEBRATES HER 33rd YEAR

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who wrote "My Old Kentucky Home." She was highly educated, talented and had been a candidate for state superintendent of schools in her native state. She heard the call of the west, however, and joined the homesteaders.

A Petticoat Flag.
As the train slowed down at one point, Nannette jumped off, removed her petticoat, raised it as a flag over the ground on which she stood, staked the claim as her own, and waved a cheery farewell to the departing train. She is believed to be the first woman to stake a claim in the new Oklahoma.

Federal troops, principally those stationed at Fort Reno, were in charge throughout old Oklahoma at the time of the opening and even for sometime afterward.

They were the law. They were supposed to keep the country clear of "sooners" ahead of the opening and maintain peace, particularly in the towns, during the formation periods. Their tents were pitched on the outskirts of the various towns.

There were liquor problems in those days, too, as now, and some times the U. S. marshals hit the towns and confiscated the stocks of booze. For the first year, federal headquarters for ruling Oklahoma were at Wichita, Kan., and prisoners were taken there for trial. Upon conviction they went to federal prison.

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"HAIL THE WOMAN" Thos. H. Ince Screen Masterpiece at McSwain Monday.

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Church News

Methodist Church.
Sunday school at 9:45. Prof. R. S. Newcomb, superintendent.
Young People's Missionary societies meet at 2:00 p. m.
Epworth League at 7:00 p. m.
Praying at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor.
Pipe organ recital at 7:30.
Splendid music at all service.
A full attendance in all Sunday school classes is expected tomorrow.
A cordial welcome is extended to all.—J. H. Ball, pastor.

Oak Avenue Baptist.
All regular services Sunday. A cordial invitation is extended to all. Let's have a large attendance at Sunday school. The pastor will preach on "Baptism" Sunday morning. Sunday eve on "Why Men Go Away from Christ." A special invitation is extended to men. Everybody is welcome.
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.
Sunbeam Band at 2:30 p. m.
Intermediate B. Y. P. U. at 3:30 p. m.
Junior B. Y. P. U. at 4:30 p. m.
Senior B. Y. P. U. at 7:00 p. m.
Praying services at 11 a. m. and at 8 p. m.—J. H. Page, pastor.

Junior Bible Class Church of Christ
Leader: Parker Floyd.
Must we deny ourselves to follow Christ? How?—Nolan Hall.
Is our confession of faith and baptism enough to save? What do we mean by growing in the grace and knowledge of our Lord Jesus Christ? How can we do this?—Turner Garwood.
Can we honor or dishonor God by our conduct in an assembly for worship, study or singing? How can we conduct ourselves so as to honor God?—Robert Roore.
What do we mean by a service of little things?—Opal Carruth.
How did Jesus become greater than any or all the kings of this world?—Judson West.
Do children have a part in the kingdom of God? How can they serve him?—Selma Hays.
The supremacy of love.—Pearl Roberts.
The tongue to be bridled.—Mildred Kerr.

Missionary Society First Methodist Church.
Dr. Gillman, an Episcopalian missionary to China, said on his recent furlough:
"You may think the world is going to the bad, but when I compare what I find on this furlough with what I saw six and twelve years ago, I feel tremendously encouraged. It is inspiring, everywhere, that I go, to find the Church up and doing."
Methodist growth in the Philippines has been quite remarkable during the past twenty years. From no membership whatever the number has grown to 50,000, with 27,000 in the Sunday schools.
A Baby Certificate.—The extent and influence of the work of the Council in the homeland among foreign people is strikingly illustrated in a late experience of one of the missionaries. Miss Eugenia Smith has been for a number of years a tremendous power for good in the settlement work in Fort Worth, Tex. The other day she received a letter from Athens, Greece, asking for a baby certificate. This letter

was from a former member of Miss Smith's Mothers' Club who has since returned to her native land.
The Mission Study class will meet at the church Monday, April 24, at 3 o'clock with Mrs. W. B. Duncan, leader. The Young Matrons Club will meet with Mrs. T. O. Dandridge with Mrs. Tom Thomas, leader.—Superintendent of Publicity.

St. Luke's Episcopal Church
Church school 9:45.
Morning prayer and sermon, 11:00 o'clock.
The Rev. Dwight R. Graham of the church of the Emmanuel, Shawnee, will have charge of this service and preach. Everyone is invited to these services. No evening service, vices.

Presbyterian C. E.
Song service.
Topic: How to overcome difficulties.
Scripture reading: Num. 13:25-31.
Sentence prayer.
Difficulties that seem larger than they are.—Grace Mooney.
Difficulties that seem less than they are.—Ruth Bolen.
How to face a difficulty.—Charlie Gregg.
The heart of courage.—Mozelle Sloan.
The result of shrinking before difficulties.—Cliff Wade.
When difficulties are only half conquered.—Harley Brown.
Cowardship in meeting difficulties.—Thelma Roberts.
Christian Endeavor difficulties.—George Bowman.
Church difficulties.—Mollie Russell.
School difficulties.—Eddie Mae Horn.
Home difficulties.—Violet Knight.
Difficulties in spiritual life.—Don Evans.

Asbury Methodist Church.
The revival meeting will open at Asbury church tonight. Tomorrow's services are:
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., W. J. McBride, superintendent.
Praying services 11 a. m., J. E. Jared, president.
Praying 8 p. m.—R. E. Brothers, pastor.

Senior Women's Auxiliary
Missionary program, April 24, at Presbyterian church, 3p. m.
Song.
Scripture reading: 91st Psalm.
Prayer.
Roll call answered with name of some missionary.
Topic: "The Negro in America and Africa."
A venture in faith.—Mrs. Norrell.
An African Song of Seven.—Mrs. Roberts.
The African love for God's house.—Mrs. Bowman.
Schools for freedmen.—Mrs. Chaffin.
Mizpah benediction.
Leader—Mrs. Fowler.

Christian Church
9:30 a. m.—Bible School.
We are anxious to have the largest attendance that we have ever had tomorrow. A little push by everybody will be all that is necessary.
9:30 a. m.—Men's Bible Class at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. Watch the Men's class grow.

11:00—Morning worship and communion.
Special music by Mrs. Boushee and Mrs. Hall of Sapulpa. This will be a musical treat.
7:00 p. m.—Y. P. S. C. E. Oscar Parker, president. Miss Myers, leader. A splendid meeting is being planned.
8:00 p. m.—Evening Service.
Special music will also be a feature of this service. You are welcome. Come and enjoy the day with us.
H. M. WOODS, Pastor

W. B. M. S.
The Women's Baptist Missionary Society will meet Monday in Circle meetings at 3 o'clock.
Circle 1—Mrs. I. Hodge, South of City.
Circle 2—Mrs. W. C. Duncan, 609 South Broadway.
Circle 4—Mrs. D. J. Smith, 726 East 12th St.
Circle 5—Mrs. R. F. Wilbourn, 804 East 8th St.
Circle 6—Young Matrons, Mrs. A. Kerr, 15th and Townsend.
Circle 1—Young Matrons, Mrs. L. F. Dunlap, 8th and Francis.
All ladies are urged to be present.

MRS. W. J. Hughes, Pres.
MRS. L. A. ELLISON, Sec'y.

First Baptist Church
Sunday School begins at our church tomorrow at 9:45. We missed many of our regular attendants last Sunday and we hope to see them present tomorrow. The Men's Bible Class meets at 9:30 at the McSwain Theatre with Mr. Ellison teaching.

We have launched a plan to have one thousand people present in Sunday School on May 7th, which is the first Sunday in May and two weeks from tomorrow. Let everyone remember the date and begin now to boost for the largest Sunday school in this section on that date.

Our morning worship begins promptly at 11 o'clock. The pastor will preach on the subject, "The Challenge of a World Task." Let us remember that April 30th, closes our spring campaign for the Seventy-five million campaign and we are very anxious for every one who can possibly do so to pay up their pledges. This will close the third year of the campaign. If you cannot pay all your pledge we hope you will plan to make a substantial payment.

The B. Y. P. U. will all meet at 6:45. They are now entering the second quarter in the contest for the loving cup. It was won by the Juniors last quarter.

The evening worship will begin at 7:45. The pastor will preach an evangelistic sermon and a call will be made for decisions to Christ. We hope to see crowded houses at both services.

The music will be under the direction of Prof. Fentem and special music will be rendered at the morning service when Mr. Hacker will sing. A cordial invitation is extended to the public to worship with us.

CLYDE CALHOUN MORRIS, Pastor.

Auxiliary Meeting.
The Junior Women's Auxiliary will meet at 2:30 Monday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Roy Weddle.

ODD FELLOWS MEET IN ADA WEDNESDAY

The Pontotoc County Odd Fellows' association will hold its annual meeting in Ada Wednesday, April 26. The first session will be in the afternoon.
This order has eleven lodges and some five or six hundred members in Pontotoc county. The association composed of all the lodges of the county, holds its spring meeting in Ada and the fall meeting with other lodges of the county.
Following is the program for the coming meeting:
Forenoon: Reception and registration of visitors.
12 m. Dinner.
1:30 p. m. Parade of Odd Fellows and Rebekahs from I. O. O. F. hall led by the High School Band. Marshal, N. R. Corkham.
2:00 p. m. Open meeting at First Methodist church, corner Fourteenth and Townsend.
4:00 p. m. Meeting of County Association at I. O. O. F. hall.
6:00 p. m. Supper.
8:00 p. m. Conferring degrees of subordinate lodge at I. O. O. hall.
8:00 p. m. Conferring Rebekah degrees.
Open meeting at Methodist church at 2 p. m.
Music—Quartette.
Invocation—Rev. J. H. Ball.
Address of Welcome on behalf of I. O. O. F.—Tom D. McKeown.
Response to Address of Welcome.—A. L. Bullock.
Reading—Miss Mildred Cummins Address on Odd Fellowship.—Past Grand Master I. R. Mason, of Ardmore.
Closing Song.

CITY BRIEFS

Sherwood Hill and party report a heavy catch of fish this week on the Ptapa, below Coalgate, where they spent several days this week. Four men brought about 50 pounds of fish back to Ada, after eating all they wanted on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Evans and son, of 432 South Townsend, left this afternoon for Hot Springs, Arkansas, to visit relatives. They will be away for about a month.

G. H. Dixon is in the city on a visit to his son, A. Dixon.

More than five per cent of the inmates in English prisons are women.

SPECULATION IS RIFE IN NATION

Crissinger Warns People Not to be Deceived at Better Business

GAINESVILLE, Fla., April 22.—A warning against the growing tendency towards speculation through the country as business continues improvement was sounded here today by Comptroller of the Currency Crissinger in an address before the Florida Bankers association. He urged the bankers to encourage their clients in sound investments and to use their influence "to prevent fly by night schemes."

Recent reductions in interest rates, Mr. Crissinger declared, have been too generally regarded by the speculating public as a sign of easy profit in sight when at the present time it was of much importance that money credits should be available to sustain renewed business activities.

"The present," he said, "is a most appropriate time for bankers to advise their clients against over confidence in speculation interests. The world needs restoration of opportunities and things needed for human progress and bankers should keep in mind that the first call for liquidation must be made in behalf of the farmer, the manufacturer, the exporter, and in general, the industrial and financial community. It is also important that banks be kept from over extending themselves by too liberally backing speculative clients."

"The business outlook for the whole country," he continued, "is brighter and more encouraging than it has been for the past two years."

POLICEMEN SHOT BY BANDIT GANG

One Officer Dead and Two Wounded in Exchange of Firing Saturday

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Two policemen were killed and another wounded seriously today, by two bandits who held up a branch office of Morris & Co., packers, on the south side and escaped with about \$65 in cash.

ST. LOUIS, April 22.—Policeman Michael O'Connor, 43 years old, was shot and killed, another was fatally wounded, and a third was wounded seriously today by payroll robbers who held up the local office of Morris & Co., packers. The bandits escaped with between \$60 and \$70.

O'Connor was shot through the head and killed instantly. Policeman Barney Mengel, 52, also was shot in the head, and at the city hospital it was said he probably would not recover. Policeman Louis A. Held, was shot in the body.

The employees of the plant were being paid, and only a small amount of the weekly payroll remained when the bandits entered. Four of the employees were ordered to hold up their hands and bandits took the money.

Just then Policeman O'Connor seeing the robbery fired through a window. The bandits returned the fire, and he dropped dead. As the bandits escaped, they fired at Mengel and Held, who had been attracted by the shots.

A Smile a Day

POME.
If marriage is a lottery,
As adage writes it down,
Then tell us, pray, why it should be Permitted in this town?
—Fairbury Neb., News.

Soon the owner of a lawn mower will begin to wonder which neighbor has his machine.—Rochester, N. Y., Times-Union.

A politician may fool all of the people some of the time, but we have always felt dubious about classifying women as people.—Columbia, S. C., Record.

Saved!
Wife: Physicians claim that tea can be made as intoxicating as liquor.
Hubby (after consuming the last quart): Spree-tea good, I'll say!—Wayside Tales.

Wonders Never Cease.
"Twas not so long ago, a marvel was vouchsafed to mortal sight! We stood and gazed in wonder at that first electric light! Now, with iron, curling tong, washing machine and grill, We stand and gaze in wonder at that last electric bill!"

Obituary

Lane Leon, the three weeks old infant of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Wornington of 900 East Ninth street, died this morning at 1:45. Funeral services will be held this afternoon and burial will be at Rosedale cemetery. He leaves a twin brother.

Try a News Want Ad for results.

Farmers' Column

By Byron Norrell

L. E. Hutchinson, who lives near Oakman, is planting a fair sized acreage in Sudan grass. He has planted this crop for several years and is well pleased with it as feed for his live stock.

I dropped down to Frisco Friday, thinking that there would be a club meeting or program in connection with the close of the school term. It developed that I was mixed on my dates and that the club had met the Friday before and held a live meeting. The young folks expect to continue their meeting during the vacation period. Supt. Cabanar and his pupils celebrated the close of school with a picnic, and gave a program at the school house Friday evening. The patrons were well pleased with the success of the school and Mr. Cavanar has been employed for next year.

While at Frisco Friday I dropped in on W. R. Dennis. His place is alive with young White Leghorn chicks, something more than four hundred all told. He and Mrs. Dennis have had good success with their incubator and have lost very few that hatched. They are selling some 40 or 50 dozen eggs per week. They are also shipping some cream. I took a look at their herd of pure bred Holsteins. It is hard to see how these animals could be improved on.

It seems to me that Arbor Day in Oklahoma should be moved back a month, at least. I have always set out my trees either in the fall or not later than February, but I have serious doubts about trying to put them out this late in the spring. Perhaps others have had success at this late date, but I don't care to try it with trees I really want to live.

Creamed Asparagus on Toast.
Two bunches asparagus, 3 tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, 2 cups milk, 1-2 teaspoon salt, 1-8 teaspoon pepper.

Snap off tough ends of asparagus. Tie in four small bundles. Stand the bundles with the heads up in a deep stew pan. Pour in boiling water. Do not cover the heads. Let them remain about an inch out of water. Add enough more boiling water to cover the heads and cook 10 or 15 minutes longer, till tender. If asparagus is cooked this way the heads are tender but not mushy and broken. Remove from water and place each bundle on a square of hot buttered toast. Cut and remove string and pour over the sauce. To make the sauce, melt butter. Do not let the butter bubble.

Stir in flour and cook and stir over a slow fire for five minutes. Add milk slowly, stirring constantly. Season with salt and pepper and pour over asparagus on toast. If this is being served as a company luncheon dish, garnish with strips of pimento.

Plain Boiled Asparagus.
Prepare asparagus as in preceding rule. Cook in boiling salted water for 20 minutes, allowing the heads



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